

REMARKS

Claims 1-12 and 14-20 are amended in order to more particularly point out, and distinctly claim the subject matter which the Applicants regard as their invention. The Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter has been added. It is believed that this Amendment is fully responsive to the Office Action dated December 22, 2010.

In the Office Action, the drawings were objected to under 37 CFR §1.83(a) because the drawings must show every feature of the invention specified in the claims.

The Office Action required that the drawings show a “source/reservoir” for the various materials mentioned in the claims. Attached herewith are replacement drawing sheets for FIGS. 1 and 5-11 showing a source/reservoir with an input pathway to pumps 5, 12, 17 and 17A.

In view of the replacement drawings, and the above remarks, removal of this objection is respectfully requested.

The Office Action requested a substitute specification in proper idiomatic English and in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52(a) and (b). Accordingly, attached herewith is a substitute specification and a mark-up specification showing the changes made.

In the Office Action, Claims 1-20 were objected to for various informalities.

The Claims 1-12 and 14-20 are amended in a manner to overcome this objection. Removal of the objection is respectfully requested.

In the Office Action, Claims 1-6, 11-16 and 18-20 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter of the invention. Reconsideration and removal of this rejection are respectfully requested in view of the present claim amendments.

Claims 1-12 and 14-20 are amended, as shown above. In view of the amendments to Claims 1-12 and 14-20, and the above remarks, removal of this rejection is respectfully requested.

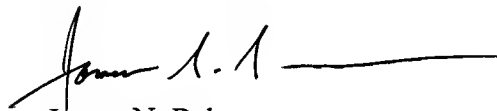
In view of the aforementioned amendments and accompanying remarks, Claims 1-20, as amended, are believed to be patentable and in condition for allowance, which action, at an early date, is requested.

If, for any reason, it is felt that this application is not now in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact the Applicants' undersigned agent at the telephone number indicated below to arrange for an interview to expedite the disposition of this case.

In the event that this paper is not timely filed, the Applicants respectfully petition for an appropriate extension of time. Please charge any fees for such an extension of time and any other fees which may be due with respect to this paper, to Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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Enclosures: Replacement Drawing Sheets (FIGS. 1 and 5-11)
Substitute Specification
Marked-Up Specification